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Applicant : Armin Diez et al.

For : AT LEAST SUBSTANTIALLY METALLIC CYLINDER HEAD GASKET

Serial No.: 10/773,704

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Confirmation No. 8289

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR TIME EXTENSION

Sir:

A Brief On Appeal is enclosed.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), please extend the shortened period for response by two (2) months. The extension fee is:


[X] \$ 450.00 (37 CFR 1.17a2)

[] \$ 225.00 (37 CFR 1.17a2) this
application is entitled to
small entity status)

A credit card payment form is enclosed and includes the time extension fee of \$450.00 and fee of \$500.00 for the Brief On Appeal. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency of these fees to my deposit account No. 20-1124.

Respectfully submitted,

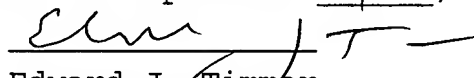
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